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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1908.

That the corrupt practices bill to be submitted to a popular vote of the people under the initative can ticket for the office of Sheriff of and referendum, is in direct conflict with that section of the Con- of the coming primary election stitution which guarantees freedom of speech is believed by many who have read the meas- for the office of sheriff for the considure. The bill makes it a crime eration of the republican voters at the for any person to ask, solicit or primary election. in any manner try to induce or persuade a voter on election day to vote for or against any candidate or measure. This would County subject to the action of the rebar the use of any kind af argu. publican voters at the vrimary election, ment on election day and there April 17th 1908. is doubt whether it would be constitutional.

The Washington Post editorially criticises the Oregon initiative and referendum law, saying: of the primary election. 'In Oregon with the initiative in full blast cranks flourish like a Green Bay Tree. They are joined by cunning and unscrupulous manipulators who endeavor by indirection and concealment to secure legislation that could not stand an hour of honest publie discussion. And this hodge pudge of freakish and crooked legislation proposed by undesirable classes is placed before voters for their offhand decision. The initiative and referendum. one of Mr. Bryan's pet policies, is an iridescent humbug.

Senator Borah, of Idaho, has election. introduced a bill absolutely repealing the timber and stone law. He offers no alternative method of disposing of public timber, but in conference with Secretary Garfield and in drafting a bill which will provide practicable means of disposing of Government timber on a fair basis and shut off all possibility of false entry and at the same time stipulate that moneys derived from Government timber shall, as now go into the Reclamation fund.

Thomas J. Cleeton, of Portland, a close friend of Senator Fulton, is slated for United States Distriet Attorney for Orgon. Senacors Fulton and Bourne and Congressman Ellis united in recomending him; the recomendation was placed in the Presidents hands, and it is expected that Mr. Cleeton's nomination will be sent to the Senate at once.

In spite of winter weather, work on the E. H. Harriman residence two miles east of Arden, N. Y., is being kept up. A large force of men is engaged on the work. The monthly payroll reaches \$19,000. The house is built in the style of an old English castle. Its total cost, it is said, will approximate \$4,000-

Representative Bartlett has vigorously denied the published statement that he kissed Congressman Burleson, of Texas, the brow last district day. I tried tokiss him but he lged," said Mr. Bartlett.

Representatives Jones Humphrey appeared before the naval committee and urged that an appropriation be made for the construction of torpedo bosts and marines for the defense of get Sound and Gray's Harbor.

To be up with the times one at be within the political ring. e fellows who have not entered

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C. K. BRANDENBURG.

C. R. Delap.

FOR COUNTY SHERIFF

I bereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination on the Republi-Klamath county, subject to the decision

W. B. BARNES.

I hereby declare myself a candidate

B. S. GRIGSBY.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of Sheriff of Klamath WM. MARTIN.

FOR STATE SENATOR

I herewith announce myself a candidate for joint senator from Klamath, the primary election. Lake and Crook counties on the Republican ticket, subject to the decision

L. F. WILLITS.

I hereby submit my name to the Re-Klamath, Lake and Crook counties at the primary election to be held April

17, 1908. Having faithfully represented this district in the last session of the legislature, and since the senatorship has, for this term, been conceded to Klamath, I again ask for the favorable consideration of the voters of this Senstorial district, Hespectfully,

GEO. H. MERRYMAN.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of County Surveyor, subject to the consideration of the Republican voters at the primary M. D. WILLIAMS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Treasurer on the Republican ticket subdate for nomination on the Republican ject to the decision of the primaries on

L. ALVA LEWIS.

I hereby declare myself a candidate! I hereby declare myself a candidate for the nomination for County Clerk on for the nomination of County Treasurer the Republican ticket, subject to the de- on the Republican ticket, subject to the cision of the voters at the primary elec- consideration of the voters at the primary election. T. W. STEPHENS.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR

I bereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination on the Republican ticket, for County Assessor, of Klamath County, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election.

BERT E. WITHROW.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Assessor of Klamath County, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the primary election of April 17, 1908. R. C. COWLEY.

Lorella, Feb. 1, 1908.

OR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Republican ticket for the homination for the office of District Attorney for Klamath and Lake counties. subject to the decision of the voters at

FRED. H. MILLS.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

I bereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for County School publican voters for joint senator from Superintendent, for the consideration of republican voters at the primary elec-

> I respectfully announce my candidacy for re-election on the Republican ticket to the office of County School Superinlent, subject to the will of the coters at the primary election.

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I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff on the Domocratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election B. ST. GEO. BISHOP.

I hereby announce myself a candidate on the Democratic ticket, for the notaination for sheriff, for the consideration of the voters at the primary election. R. E. HUNSAKER.

FOR COUNTY CORONER

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of Coroner of Klamath County, Oregon, on the Democratic ticket, subject to the approval of the voters at the primary election on April 17, 1908.

EARL WHITLOCK.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR

I hereby declare myself a candidate for the nomination for County Assessor on the Democratic ticket, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary J. P. LEE. election.

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Fixtures Cash and Sight Exchange

14,745.18 166,247.69

\$585,049.51

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock, fully paid \$100,000.00 Surplus and Profits 21,753.11 32,000.94 Due Other Banks Deposits 431,295.46 \$585,049.51

I, Alex Martin, Jr., Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above state-ment is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. ALEX MARTIN, JR., Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1908. [Seal]

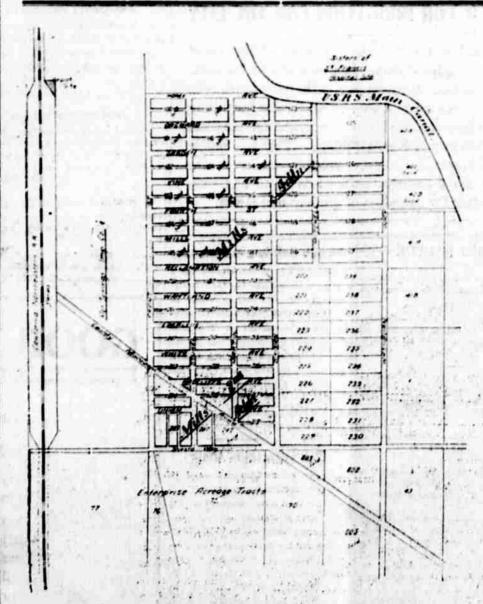
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